

REMARKS

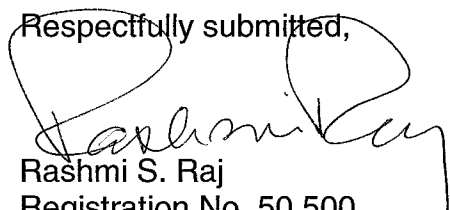
Reconsideration and allowance are respectfully requested. Claims 1-33 are pending.

The Examiner noted that the Terminal Disclaimer of November 15, 2006 was not approved since the attorney who executed Disclaimer was not of record (e.g., not listed on the Power of Attorney). Applicant notes that 37 CFR 1.34 states that an attorney who signs a paper in practice before the United States Patent & Trademark Office (USPTO) constitutes a representation to the USPTO that she is authorized to represent the particular party on whose behalf she acts. The undersigned signed the November 15, 2006 Terminal Disclaimer in this capacity.

In any event, attached is a Terminal Disclaimer executed by an attorney of record as indicted in the Power of Attorney on file. No additional fee should be required since the fee was paid with the November 15, 2006 Disclaimer. However, a fee charge statement is provided on the attached Terminal Disclaimer if a fee is necessary.

All objections and rejections having been addressed, it is respectfully submitted that this application is in condition for allowance and a Notice to that effect is earnestly solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Rashmi S. Raj", is written over the typed name and contact information.

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